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1. The Portuguese Communist Party (PCP) was termed the best claudestine organization in Fortugal by Jose Domingues ABREU, Secretary for Party Relations of the Seccao Portuguesa de Unidade de Juventude Socialista (SIVIJS)" at a meeting of the latter group held on 7 March 1949. ABREU stated that the PCP was gradually penetrating into all educational institutions, where it was setting up committees of assistance, agitation, propaganda and organization.

- 2. Since many of the members failed to appear at the meeting those present discussed in general terms devices for making the organization more effective, To this end, it was decided that the services of the Secretariat should be better developed, a new mimeograph machine should be bought, and more meetings should be arranged. Recent arrests were recommended for study and analysis. A new member present at the meeting was Carlos WALLENSTEIN, a student of Agronomy at the University of Lisbon.
- 3. At a subsequent meeting on 11 March the discussion dealt principally with the problem of how members should conduct themselves if arrested. It was agreed that all would deny belonging to any organization and would state that they were anti-Communist. The members also made plans to hold a benefit entertainment, the proceeds of which would be used for the purchase of a new 25X1A6a mimeograph machine.

Comment. The SPUIJS is frequently referred to as a Portuguese Socialist youth organization.

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